

Amusements.

THE GREAT KELLAR

Magician Kellar, who comes to the Grand Opera House, April 20, has an illusion which accomplishes odd results.

Magician Kellar, whose forthcoming engagement at the Traders Grand Opera House, Wednesday, April 20, is announced, never claims to do impossible things but when you see some of his new illusions you will be ready to believe almost anything you hear about him. In one of them he has, apparently, succeeded in suspending the inviolable law of gravitation, and causes whatever he touches to lose its weight and float about, or remain stationary in the air, wherever he will it. He places a plank in the air horizontally, and it stays there. Then he hypnotizes a young lady

velous new illusions, each of which is, apparently, more inexplicable than its predecessor. Yet he tells you plainly that everything he does is the result of trickery pure and simple. Get on to his tricks if you can—if you do, you are shrewder than most people. His entertainment of Hindoo illusions and new tricks in small magic will be given here.

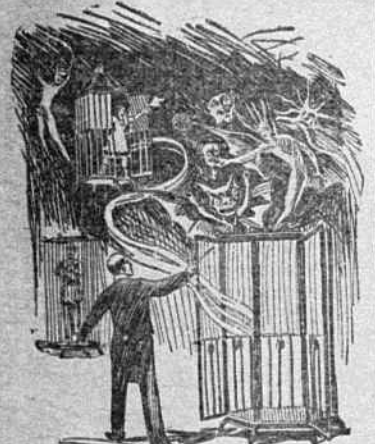
COMING OF "OTHELLO"

For the first time in the history of the American stage a continuous tour has fallen upon Mr. Harry Leighton, of late years identified with the Frohman successes, "The Prisoner of Zenda," "Rupert of Hentzau," etc., and who formerly won distinction through his association with Mofessa Marie Wainwright, Louis-James, and the late Thomas Keene, in Shakespearean work.



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and places her in a reclining position upon the plank and both remain. The effect is startling for the audience has previously been thoroughly convinced that he has had to resort to no such amateur subtleties as wires, mirrors or the like, to attain the result. In oriental magic and illusionary work Kellar will this season present a dozen mar-



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By confining his efforts to "Othello" solely, Mr. Leighton has been enabled to secure an especially strong cast of play.

been successfully played all season of Shakespeare's immortal tragedy, "Othello." This role is considered to be the most difficult to portray, taxing the powers of the actor to an unusual degree. Booth, Barrett, Forrest, McCullough and Salvini have played "Othello," but always in repertoire. None of them ever attempted it as the only vehicle of a protracted tour. This distinction has been adapted for this powerful drama.

The scenic and costume effects are superb. The season altogether has been so successful, both artistically and financially that a special spring tour is announced, and the date of Tuesday, April 19th, as being held in the hope that sufficient local interest may be manifested to warrant the company in visiting us for one performance.

The production is under the management of Ernest Shipman, of the New York Theatre, who has sent us artistic plays in the past. His spring tour of Alberta Gallatin and company, last season, being one of the delights of the year.

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BEAUTY HINTS.

Methods by Which to Improve Your Skin, Eyes and Hair.

Greasiness of the skin is an unpleasant condition and is by no means easy to cure. All rich and greasy food should be avoided. The face should be washed in rain water, or, if this be unobtainable, in water softened by the addition of borax. The soap used should be of the purest and contain no glycerin. Wash the face occasionally with white vinegar diluted with rose water.

Ask your druggist for an eye wash of camphor and borax and bathe the swollen lids with it every night. The best way to do this is to use an eye cup, which can be obtained at any drug store and costs only a few cents. Fill the cup about half full with the wash, then fit it over the eye and hold it in that position, throwing the head back and opening the eye to receive the wash. It takes some effort of the will to do this until you are used to it.

If your hair is in a serious condition nothing but persistent effort will bring it back to health. Every night you must massage the scalp thoroughly with vaseline. This will bring back the natural oil as well as promote growth. Brush the hair and scalp thoroughly once a week to remove the natural accumulation of dust and dandruff. In combing and brushing be as gentle as possible so as not to waste the hair. Shampoo once a week with green soap. Avoid oiling your hair. Simple treatment is the best.—Pittsburg Press.

THE MAID OF ALL WORK.

A Lack of System Will Make Her Tasks Doubly Hard.

A maid of average ability should be able to do the housework for a family of three in a clean, orderly manner without friction, especially when the home is supplied with numerous labor saving conveniences. Do not, however, expect a maid to sweep and scrub all day and supplement the exertion by serving a five course company dinner at 7 o'clock, for one or both efforts will result in a failure, no matter how strong or willing she may be, says the Indianapolis Journal. The source of most trouble in the domestic household is lack of system. If a maid has a method of her own which enables her to perform the required services in a satisfactory manner it is usually wise not to interfere with her plans. If, however, she lacks system have a friendly talk with her, pointing out how her work may be planned so that it may be done properly and leave her some time for rest and enjoyment. If she is a sensible girl this will appeal to her, and she will likely fall into your way of working. After having decided upon a system which best accords with the household insist upon each duty being performed on the day allotted to it unless something quite unforeseen occurs to prevent. If at any time you are without a maid and must do your own work apply this same plan yourself.

AROUND THE HOUSE.

Smear the glass stopper of a bottle with vaseline and no matter how long it stands unopened it will not stick.

Scraps of wax candles melted with an equal quantity of turpentine make an excellent polish for hardwood floors.

It is said the sirup or cream will not drop from a pitcher on to the tablecloth if the nose of the pitcher is rubbed with butter.

When a needle requires the services of an emery, do not rub the point any more than necessary after inserting it unless you wish to blunt it.

To clean the nickel plate on stoves polish with iron slacked lime. It will shine like a mirror. If any spots are obstinate use a piece of fine sandpaper.

After the dust of sweeping day has settled, wipe your windows and mirrors with a piece of chamois wet in warm water and wrung out until damp. It leaves the glass perfectly clear and shining.

A Woman's Success.

Embroidering baby clothes was my first financial venture. I was a very ambitious housewife and wanted money for some new things for the house so I began by embroidering little sacks, for which I charged \$1.50. For the more elaborate ones I received \$2. White broadcloth coats with large collars brought \$3, and at the end of a year the amount footed up to \$200. The work was dainty and fascinating, and my friends and acquaintances were quick to take advantage of the opportunity to secure hand wrought pieces for their wee tots. I bought a pattern of the size for the age of the baby and followed the directions given with it for the making. My customers furnished their own materials, which relieved me of any outlay in money. As the articles made were all white, they had to be kept spotless and required extreme care in the handling.—Ladies' Home Journal.

To train her daughter in courtesy the mother must begin at a tender age. The twig is so easily bent that it scarcely resists the guiding hands. Even with this training the girl may, when half grown, come to a stage when self assertion shows itself and when she feels that it is quite the thing for her to force herself upon people's attention. All growing things have their trying age. But this, too, will pass away, and if the girl has started right there is not much difficulty in inducing her to believe that she and all her affairs are not of paramount importance to the public at large; that gentleness and consideration command more love and popularity than self assertion and carelessness of the concerns and whims of others.

HIS TWENTY HORSE-POWER PROPOSAL.

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The moonlight filtering through the wistaria leaves made a shifting mosaic on the floor of the veranda. In one corner, where the thickness of the leaves admitted but scattering patches of moonlight, a young woman was perched on the veranda rail. Before her, half reclining in a steamer chair, was a somber faced young man.

The long windows of the dining room were wide open, and the couple in their shaded corner could hear the labored music of the violinist's orchestra, the shuffling of feet and the deep voice of Judge Davis calling off the figures in the Virginia reel.

"If I had suspected your intention I should have stayed in and danced," she said petulantly.

The young man made no response. "You said you wanted to smoke," she went on.

"I'm smoking," he asserted, and to verify the statement he blew a cloud of smoke from the cigarette. "Don't be angry, Lou," he entreated. "Up to now I've been behaving beautifully."

"Oh, indeed?" she remarked. "Perhaps you've forgotten you've proposed three times before this week."

He leaned forward in the chair. His face was very grave. He was a good looking young man, clean shaven and very resolute of manner. Just now as he faced her his square jaw was about in determined fashion, and the lines about his mouth showed he was very much in earnest.

"This is the 4th of the month," he said slowly. "I shall offer myself to you every remaining day."

"Philipp," she said, "if I give you a chance to propose between now and the 1st of the month I'll accept you."

"Great Scott!" he cried. "You don't mean you won't even see me, Lou?"

"Your deductions are very intelligent," she laughed.

He was standing before her now. He drew himself up, and his shoulders went back.

"Very well," he said. "I shall buy the ring tomorrow."

"I don't believe there's any need of haste," she said. And then with a hurried "good night" she slipped into the house and left him there alone in the moonlight, at once strangely downcast and strangely hopeful.

He was still standing there when Judge Davis stepped through one of the open windows on to the veranda.

"Judge," said Morton suddenly, "with your consent I'm going to marry Louise."

"The devil you are!" said the judge. Then he soberly took Morton by the hand. "Phil, I hope you are. Has Lou consented at last?"

Morton laughed. "I don't believe she considers the chase as nearly finished as I do," he confessed.

The next day the game began in earnest. Morton was not disappointed when three calls at the Davis villa brought only the information that Miss Davis was "out." He walked for hours in the grove behind the house, but she did not venture there, nor did she come to the postoffice for the evening mail. Then for a week's time he tried vainly to reach her by strategy, but numerous bribes to the Davis servants and sundry endeavors on Morton's part to conceal himself under the veranda, in the summer house—any place where he might hope to see her—were all fruitless of the desired result. Two weeks went past, and, although the ring nestled in his coat pocket, he had found no chance to speak a word to Louise. He began to be a bit uneasy.

Late one afternoon at the beginning of the third week Morton sat disconsolately on the top rider of the fence that skirted the old turnpike. He had been sitting there since noon vainly trying to formulate some scheme which would bring him triumphantly into the presence of Louise Davis long enough for him to utter the words on the end of his tongue.

Down the road came a cloud of dust, and presently Louise herself, quite alone, wheeled past in an automobile. The next afternoon at the same time Morton from the raspberry shrubs beside the road saw her again speed by.

A third and a fourth afternoon he waited patiently among the prickly raspberry bushes, and when that fourth afternoon she went past his hiding place Morton rushed to the telephone and sent the following:

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MORTON.

Three evenings later, just at sunset, Louise Davis sped an automobile along the cool, pine shaded stretches of the turnpike. Presently a mighty coughing and bumping behind her caused her to turn her head. There, rapidly overhauling her, was a huge red touring car, and in the touring car, a grim smile on his face, sat Philip Morton.

She turned her eyes ahead and gave her automobile full speed, but it was no match for the heavy touring car, which overtook her with ease. She looked back angrily, and by the motion of his lips she could see Morton was shouting. Then he took from the seat beside him a huge megaphone, and through this he shouted a proposal which could have been heard in the next county.

The automobile ahead of him slackened, then stopped. Morton brought his own machine to a standstill, jumped out and ran forward.

"You've won, I suppose," she said, looking away from him.

He took her hand, and a moment later the ring was slipped on.

"I knew I'd need it," he laughed.

She turned her head and looked into his eyes.

"I'm not half as much cut up about this as you imagine," she said softly.

SIDNEY H. COLE.

A Quick Reply.

The Duchess of Lauraguais, who was somewhat given to making poetry, could not think of a word to rhyme with colf. Turning to Talleyrand, who happened to be by her side, she said, "Prince, give me a rhyme to colf."

"Impossible, duchess," replied Talleyrand without a moment's delay, "for that which pertains to the head of a woman has neither rhyme nor reason."

More to the Point.
"Ef yer real interested," said Deacon Skinner, "I'll tell ye what I want fur that horse."

"Oh, I wouldn't be interested in knowin' that," replied Farmer Shouder.

"No?"

"No, but I wouldn't mind knowin' what ye'd take."—Philadelphia Press.

Deer.
Bill—You say you never make the mistake of shooting something else for a deer? Jill—No; I did it once; shot a man's \$100 cow and had to pay for it. Bill—I should say that experience was a deer teacher.—Yonkers Statesman.

Willing to Help.
"But," said Miss Roxley's father, "how about supporting my daughter? Have you considered that thoroughly?" "Oh, yes," replied the suitor, "I'm willing to help."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Unlucky.
The burglar noiselessly opened the jewel case and examined the contents. "Ah," he said to himself, "madam ought to have known better than to invest anything in opals. They are unlucky." And he transferred them to his pocket and quietly climbed out of the window again.

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